

## COMPARISON OF PROPOSED TAX RATES FOR PUBLIC LIBRARIES IN UTAH 2008 - 2009

### HIGHLIGHTS

- 27 library jurisdictions in Utah had a dedicated tax levy in 2009
- 8 library jurisdictions saw a decrease in their 2009 proposed tax rate
- 1 library jurisdiction saw no change in their 2009 proposed tax rate
- 18 library jurisdictions saw an increase in their 2008 proposed tax rate (compared to 2007)

Libraries that experienced LOSS		Libraries that experienced GAIN	
-0.11%	Minimum Decrease	0.00%	Minimum Increase
-3.40%	Median Decrease	6.52%	Median Increase
-4.62%	Average Decrease	8.84%	Average Increase
-13.00%	Maximum Decrease	23.20%	Maximum Increase

ENTITY NAME	2008 PROPOSED TAX RATE	2009 PROPOSED TAX RATE	% OF DECREASE OR INCREASE
BEAVER COUNTY	0.000109	0.000105	-3.67%
BOX ELDER COUNTY LIBRARY	0.000149	0.000150	0.67%
BRIGHAM CITY	0.000556	0.000576	3.60%
DAVIS COUNTY LIBRARY	0.000332	0.000348	4.82%
DUCHESNE COUNTY	0.000323	0.000281	-13.00%
EMERY COUNTY	0.000399	0.000401	0.50%
GRAND COUNTY	0.000361	0.000344	-4.71%
GUNNISON	0.000180	0.000187	3.89%
HIGHLAND	0.000217	0.000250	15.21%
IRON COUNTY	0.000051	0.000059	15.69%
KANE COUNTY	0.000046	0.000049	6.52%
LOGAN	0.000772	0.000771	-0.13%
MORGAN COUNTY	0.000133	0.000150	12.78%
MOUNT PLEASANT	0.000884	0.000883	-0.11%
MURRAY	0.000345	0.000395	14.49%
NORTH LOGAN	0.000766	0.000682	-10.97%
PROVO	0.000626	0.000659	5.27%
SALT LAKE CITY	0.000618	0.000760	22.98%
SALT LAKE COUNTY LIBRARY	0.000492	0.000564	14.63%
SAN JUAN COUNTY	0.000579	0.000602	3.97%
SANPETE COUNTY	0.000064	0.000062	-3.12%
SANTAQUIN	0.000116	0.000127	9.48%
TREMONTON	0.000081	0.000080	-1.23%
UINTAH COUNTY	0.000345	0.000345	0.00%
WASATCH COUNTY	0.000175	0.000188	7.43%
WASHINGTON COUNTY	0.000194	0.000239	23.20%
WEBER COUNTY	0.000585	0.000601	2.74%



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FROM HIGHEST TO LOWEST**

LIBRARY TAX LEVY CAP SPECIFIED IN UTAH CODE 9-7-401(2) FOR CITY LIBRARIES  
AND 9-7-501(2) FOR COUNTY LIBRARIES = 0.001

ENTITY NAME	2009 PROPOSED TAX RATE	% OF TAX LEVY CAP
MOUNT PLEASANT	0.000883	88.30%
LOGAN	0.000771	77.10%
SALT LAKE CITY	0.000760	76.00%
NORTH LOGAN	0.000682	68.20%
PROVO	0.000659	65.90%
SAN JUAN COUNTY	0.000602	60.20%
WEBER COUNTY	0.000601	60.10%
BRIGHAM CITY	0.000576	57.60%
SALT LAKE COUNTY LIBRARY	0.000564	56.40%
EMERY COUNTY	0.000401	40.10%
MURRAY	0.000395	39.50%
DAVIS COUNTY LIBRARY	0.000348	34.80%
UINTAH COUNTY	0.000345	34.50%
GRAND COUNTY	0.000344	34.40%
DUCHESNE COUNTY	0.000281	28.10%
HIGHLAND	0.000250	25.00%
WASHINGTON COUNTY	0.000239	23.90%
WASATCH COUNTY	0.000188	18.80%
GUNNISON	0.000187	18.70%
BOX ELDER COUNTY LIBRARY	0.000150	15.00%
MORGAN COUNTY	0.000150	15.00%
SANTAQUIN	0.000127	12.70%
BEAVER COUNTY	0.000105	10.50%
TREMONTON	0.000080	8.00%
SANPETE COUNTY	0.000062	6.20%
IRON COUNTY	0.000059	5.90%
KANE COUNTY	0.000049	4.90%